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09:09:11 1 keynote presentations where Steve would introduce new
09:09:15 2 products.

09:09:23 3 Q. Did you attend an Apple Town Hall event in
09:09:27 4 January 2010?

09:09:30 5 A. I don't know. I don't know what event happened
09:09:35 6 on January 2010.

09:09:39 7 Q. Did you attend any Apple Town Hall events?

09:09:43 8 A. Yes, I have in the past.

09:09:46 9 Q. Do you recall Mr. Jobs making comments about
09:09:54 10 Flash and its suitability on mobile devices at a Town Hall
09:09:58 11 meeting?

09:10:00 12 A. I don't recollect specifically a Town Hall
09:10:02 13 meeting where that happened. Yeah, I don't remember
09:10:08 14 specifics about a Town Hall event.

09:10:10 15 Q. Well, do you recall anything Mr. Jobs might have
09:10:14 16 said about the use of Flash on Apple's mobile devices?

09:10:18 17 A. Yes.

09:10:19 18 Q. What do you recall?

09:10:23 19 A. I recall that -- the concern over whether Flash
09:10:28 20 was going to work well in a mobile environment. There are
09:10:33 21 a lot of questions on -- as to whether that technology
09:10:37 22 could make the transition over to an environment which
09:10:41 23 was -- where battery and power was at a premium, so
09:10:46 24 there's quite a bit of question of whether that was going
09:10:48 25 to happen.

09:10:49 1 I think we came to the conclusion at Apple that
09:10:51 2 it probably wasn't suited for a mobile environment.

09:10:56 3 Q. And does Apple support Flash on its mobile
09:11:00 4 devices?

09:11:01 5 A. No. It supports it on the Mac.

09:11:39 6 Q. Were you ever aware of any restrictions on Apple
09:11:44 7 recruiters contacting employees of Adobe about potential
09:11:49 8 opportunities at Apple?

09:11:50 9 A. No, I was not.

09:12:18 10 Q. So have you been involved in any of Apple's
09:12:21 11 collaborations with Google?

09:12:27 12 A. Yes, I have.

09:12:27 13 Q. What are those collaborations?

09:12:30 14 A. There are numerous different collaborations.

09:12:33 15 There's a collaboration on Search in Safari
09:12:37 16 browser. There's collaboration for a number of years on
09:12:41 17 the maps application. YouTube is another area of
09:12:47 18 collaboration. We also had collaboration on the --
09:12:50 19 including, for instance, Google Mail in setup, for
09:12:55 20 instance, in iOS as well as in Mac, as well as syncing
09:13:00 21 capabilities, as well as calendar.

09:13:05 22 Let's see what other ones. We have a fishing
09:13:08 23 agreement, anti-fishing service that they provide for
09:13:12 24 Safari, as well as other products within our product line.
09:13:16 25 There are many, many different collaborations between

09:13:19 1 Apple and Google. That was off the top of my head. There
09:13:23 2 may be more.

09:13:25 3 Q. And that's fair.

09:13:33 4 Do you know if any Apple employees have ever had
09:13:36 5 offices on-site at Google?

09:13:37 6 A. I'm not -- I don't know. I'm not sure.

09:13:40 7 Q. And do you know if any Google employees have
09:13:42 8 ever had offices on-site at Apple?

09:13:45 9 A. Yeah, again, I'm not -- I don't know one way or
09:13:49 10 the other.

09:14:09 11 Q. Do any Apple engineers work full-time on
09:14:12 12 Apple/Google collaborations?

09:14:14 13 A. I would characterize it as saying that we have a
09:14:17 14 lot of people, almost like a huge number of people working
09:14:21 15 on some collaboration with Google. I don't think
09:14:25 16 it's -- it's actually marbled through the organization,
09:14:29 17 it's so deeply integrated, that it isn't partitioned off
09:14:33 18 into like a specific person. It's not really the way
09:14:35 19 these collaborations are going to work.

09:14:38 20 You know, there's a lot -- what happens is, is
09:14:40 21 once we establish it, there's just a ton of different
09:14:43 22 touch points between the companies.

09:15:02 23 Q. So could you tell me roughly how many engineers,
09:15:08 24 Apple engineers, work on collaborations with Google?

09:15:12 25 A. That's a really difficult number to come by.

09:23:17 1 A. No, I haven't.

09:23:18 2 Q. Are you aware of any collaborations between
09:23:20 3 Apple and Intuit?

09:23:21 4 A. I believe, you know, in the same manner, Intuit
09:23:28 5 is an application that's important to the platform, and I
09:23:33 6 think as a result we work very closely, our developer
09:23:38 7 relations department works very closely with Intuit,
09:23:41 8 working to make sure that they would provide their
09:23:43 9 applications for the Mac platform.

09:23:59 10 Q. And I'm sorry, going back, were you ever aware
09:24:01 11 of any restrictions placed on Apple recruiters that
09:24:09 12 prevented or otherwise posed obstacles to them contacting
09:24:14 13 Intel employees about job opportunities at Apple?

09:24:17 14 A. No, I was not.

09:24:21 15 Q. And then the same question with respect to
09:24:23 16 Intuit.

09:24:24 17 A. No, I was not.

09:24:30 18 MR. RILEY: Before we turn to the next one,
09:24:32 19 could we have a quick restroom break?

09:24:34 20 MR. DALLAL: Sure.

09:24:35 21 MR. RILEY: Thank you.

09:24:36 22 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Going off the record. The
09:24:36 23 time is 9:24 a.m.

09:32:09 24 (Recess taken from 9:24 to 9:33.)

09:32:50 25 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record.

09:32:51 1 The time is 9:33 a.m.

09:32:59 2 BY MR. DALLAL:

09:32:59 3 Q. Have you ever worked on any collaborations
09:33:01 4 between Apple and Pixar?

09:33:03 5 A. No, I have not.

09:33:06 6 Q. Are you aware of any collaborations between
09:33:08 7 Apple and Pixar?

09:33:10 8 A. I've heard of Apple and Pixar working together
09:33:14 9 on varied projects.

09:33:19 10 Q. What sorts of projects?

09:33:20 11 A. Occasionally things like, you know, working on
09:33:22 12 imagery. For instance, we've worked with them to help us
09:33:28 13 out getting good imagery in our UI. We also wanted to
09:33:33 14 make sure that the internal software that Pixar uses to
09:33:38 15 create movies, to render movies, works extremely well
09:33:42 16 on -- on -- on the Mac. Um, Excuse me.

09:33:49 17 As a part of that, again, it goes back to having
09:33:51 18 our engineers work with engineers at Pixar to tune the
09:33:57 19 software, to understand how we could make our software
09:34:00 20 better, to better serve their software. So again, it's
09:34:06 21 very similar to the other types of collaborations where we
09:34:10 22 have to have our engineers work tightly with -- with
09:34:12 23 them.

09:34:18 24 Q. Is it fair to say that Apple in some sense
09:34:21 25 collaborates with all of the software developers who

09:34:25 1 develop software for the Mac?

09:34:27 2 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

09:34:28 3 THE WITNESS: I think there are a small number
09:34:31 4 of companies where we have very tight relationships.
09:34:35 5 Given the kind of engagement that I'm talking about, and
09:34:38 6 the depth, we couldn't do it with more than a handful. So
09:34:42 7 we're very choosy about the partners that we really go
09:34:45 8 deep with, and they typically are very strategic partners.

09:34:49 9 And so, yeah, it's -- the other folks out there
09:34:53 10 are more at an arm's length, and we do provide for
09:34:57 11 services, but they don't have access to the design
09:34:59 12 engineers within Apple.

09:35:01 13 And to make it clear, when I'm talking about
09:35:03 14 engineers, I'm talking about the design engineers, the
09:35:06 15 guys who actually create the product, as opposed to
09:35:09 16 support engineers. So that's the difference between a
09:35:11 17 strategic relationship and one of more arm's length
09:35:17 18 relationship with developers.

09:35:19 19 BY MR. DALLAL:

09:35:19 20 Q. Does Apple have a strategic relationship with
09:35:22 21 Microsoft?

09:35:22 22 A. Yes, it does.

09:35:23 23 Q. And would you put Microsoft in the category of a
09:35:29 24 strategic partner?

09:35:30 25 A. Yes, I would.

10:02:41 1 Q. Ah. Understood.

10:02:54 2 So is it fair to say that Apple has -- excuse
10:02:59 3 me, that Apple maintains control over the user interface
10:03:06 4 piece of all of the software that ships on Apple mobile
10:03:11 5 devices?

10:03:12 6 A. We would like that to be the case. We -- you
10:03:14 7 know, and I think by control, we're -- we're talking
10:03:17 8 about, you know, the ability to define what the user
10:03:20 9 experience looks like. And that's important. It's our
10:03:23 10 product that we're shipping, and we want to make sure that
10:03:25 11 we have the right to design it as we see fit.

10:03:29 12 Q. Then on the next page there's a section on
10:04:02 13 YouTube APIs?

10:04:05 14 A. Yes.

10:04:10 15 Q. "Obligation to provide APIs to Apple. During
10:04:12 16 the term, Youtube shall make available to Apple the
10:04:17 17 Youtube APIs."

10:04:19 18 Can you explain what's meant by that statement?

10:04:22 19 A. An API is the -- defines how the software that
10:04:29 20 Apple would be developing talks to the service that Google
10:04:34 21 or YouTube would be providing. And so it just defines the
10:04:38 22 language that goes between the two.

10:04:48 23 Q. And that's an application programming
10:04:50 24 interface?

10:04:50 25 A. Correct.

10:05:06 1 Q. So would YouTube have to make APIs available to
10:05:12 2 any hardware maker that was shipping a product with a
10:05:19 3 YouTube application on it?

10:05:22 4 A. I don't know other people's arrangement. You
10:05:25 5 know, I can speak to the way Apple works, but I don't know
10:05:31 6 how they go about doing it with other folks.

10:05:35 7 Q. Okay. Does YouTube make available its APIs to
10:06:12 8 Apple so that Apple engineers can develop the application,
10:06:18 9 or is that as part of a collaborative process?

10:06:23 10 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

10:06:30 11 THE WITNESS: I don't think that's the way I
10:06:32 12 would state it.

10:06:33 13 I would say that the answer is, it's not an
10:06:37 14 either/or, it's a yes to both, in that the APIs are part
10:06:40 15 of the process. In order for us to access their service,
10:06:44 16 we have to understand the APIs, right? So we have to be
10:06:47 17 able to see them, so that's that part.

10:06:50 18 Then what happens after that happens is these
10:06:52 19 are extraordinarily complex, technical specifications.
10:06:57 20 Then we understand what we want to do and what we think is
10:07:00 21 important to deliver to the end user. So at that point,
10:07:03 22 we need to understand what's going on behind those APIs,
10:07:07 23 right? So we see kind of the facade, but in order to
10:07:09 24 really do anything innovative and interesting, you have to
10:07:13 25 know what's behind the facade. So that's the critical

10:07:15 1 aspect of this.

10:07:16 2 And this is why the engineers need to get
10:07:18 3 together, because you get the guy who designed, you know,
10:07:21 4 the building behind the facade, and then our engineers,
10:07:25 5 and then we can actually innovate, because we understand
10:07:28 6 what's going on beyond a superficial specification.

10:07:33 7 So it's really both that happen. It's a huge
10:07:37 8 collaboration with the APIs as being part of that.

10:07:53 9 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:07:53 10 Q. Have you ever seen any statements about Apple
10:08:04 11 recruiting Google employees or Google recruiting Apple
10:08:14 12 employees in any agreement, any written agreement between
10:08:17 13 Apple and Google?

10:08:18 14 A. No, I don't believe I've seen that.

10:08:26 15 Q. Have you ever seen any statement, for example,
10:08:30 16 that Apple was not to recruit Google employees who were
10:08:39 17 working on collaborative projects with Apple?

10:08:44 18 A. In what context?

10:08:46 19 Q. Written down anywhere.

10:08:48 20 A. Anywhere. Not that I can recall.

10:08:54 21 Q. Have you ever seen written down anywhere a list
10:09:02 22 of key Google employees who were working on Apple
10:09:08 23 projects, for example?

10:09:11 24 A. No, I've never seen a list like that.

10:09:13 25 Q. Or have you ever seen the reverse, a list of key

10:09:17 1 Apple employees who were working on Google projects?

10:09:21 2 A. No.

10:09:50 3 Q. Did you communicate with anyone at Google in the
10:09:55 4 period in which Apple and Google were considering the
10:10:03 5 first agreement it had about Google Mail?

10:10:09 6 A. I'm sorry, can you repeat that?

10:10:11 7 Q. Yeah, I can ask a better question, I think.

10:10:16 8 So in the period when Apple and Google were
10:10:22 9 considering its collaboration on Google Mail --

10:10:25 10 A. Hm-m.

10:10:26 11 Q. -- for things like Push, as you described, were
10:10:30 12 you in communication with anyone at Google?

10:10:35 13 A. I was probably in communication with folks at
10:10:38 14 Google. I talked to people at Google very frequently, so
10:10:45 15 most likely I was in communication with someone.

10:10:48 16 Q. Okay. Did you at times participate in the
10:10:58 17 negotiation of agreements between Apple and Google?

10:11:01 18 A. Yes, I did.

10:11:06 19 Q. In any of those discussions or negotiations, did
10:11:10 20 the subject of Google recruiting Apple's employees or
10:11:15 21 Apple recruiting Google's employees ever come up?

10:11:18 22 A. No. The subject of our conversations was mostly
10:11:22 23 about the technologies in the legal frameworks and the
10:11:26 24 business relationships that we wanted to develop. That
10:11:30 25 wasn't in the purview of the discussions that I had.

10:23:55 1 employees from each other.

10:24:00 2 Is that a fair summary?

10:24:02 3 MR. RILEY: Objection to the form of the
10:24:04 4 question.

10:24:05 5 THE WITNESS: Yeah, as I was saying, is I think
10:24:07 6 it would make it much more difficult to have fruitful
10:24:10 7 collaborations between companies.

10:24:13 8 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:24:13 9 Q. Okay. So I believe you'd stated that trust
10:24:28 10 plays a role and that it's a matter of common sense.

10:24:35 11 Is there any additional assurance that Apple had
10:24:41 12 that Google wouldn't try to hire key Apple engineers who
10:24:46 13 were collaborating with Google?

10:24:52 14 A. I -- I don't know.

10:25:05 15 Q. And then to the extent you understand that type
10:25:10 16 of recruiting to be undesirable, based on your experience
10:25:16 17 in the industry throughout your career --

10:25:18 18 A. Hm-m.

10:25:23 19 Q. -- is the decision not to do so required in any
10:25:35 20 sense, or is it more just a matter of common practice?

10:25:42 21 MR. RILEY: Objection to the form.

10:25:44 22 THE WITNESS: Yeah, I -- again, as I was saying
10:25:46 23 before, it's just something that makes a lot of sense when
10:25:49 24 you're collaborating closely. And I think it's important
10:25:52 25 that everybody understand that it's -- think of it this

10:25:56 1 way: It's almost like a safe environment to bring your
10:26:00 2 best people. It's important to have that.

10:26:05 3 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:26:05 4 Q. So based on your understanding from your
10:26:09 5 experience in the industry, would the choice to refrain
10:26:19 6 from hiring engineers who were working on collaborations
10:26:30 7 extend to every employee of the two companies that were
10:26:34 8 collaborating, or would it be more limited in some way?

10:26:37 9 A. So in these cases, especially with somebody like
10:26:40 10 Google or, you know, Intel, are the two examples I'm
10:26:45 11 coming up with right now, but others, you know, on, the
10:26:48 12 list, those are huge and very wide collaborations.

10:26:56 13 As I was explaining before, what happens is that
10:26:58 14 it's not just the engineers. It's -- you have the
10:27:01 15 marketing departments. You have, you know, engineering
10:27:04 16 guys. You have business development people. You have,
10:27:07 17 you know, hardware, software. It goes across the company.

10:27:12 18 So, and that's the -- that's when those --
10:27:13 19 those kinds of relationships are successful when you're
10:27:16 20 working like that. And so it isn't cordoned off. You
10:27:21 21 know, we have many people on those very strategic
10:27:26 22 relationships talking to their counterparts. So it's a
10:27:31 23 pretty broad spread type of relationship.

10:27:38 24 And as I -- one way to think of it is, it's
10:27:40 25 really marbled through the organization. You know, it's

10:27:44 1 not someplace you can isolate. So when you make a
10:27:47 2 commitment to really come together as two companies and
10:27:49 3 really try to do something interesting, it goes across
10:27:52 4 many different parts of the company. So it's very
10:27:56 5 difficult to say it's just one section or the other,
10:27:58 6 again, it's because it's marbled.

10:28:05 7 Q. So what if, for example, Apple wanted to recruit
10:28:15 8 somebody in Google's accounting department; would that
10:28:19 9 cause problems for the collaboration?

10:28:21 10 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

10:28:25 11 THE WITNESS: You know, it's -- that's a
10:28:27 12 hypothetical case. I haven't seen that happen, but I
10:28:30 13 could see how that would be problematic because, you know,
10:28:35 14 we have finance people who are talking back and forth too.
10:28:38 15 So I mean, yeah, it would probably make it harder.

10:28:46 16 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:28:46 17 Q. What if Apple wanted to recruit a sous chef who
10:28:53 18 worked at Google; would that cause a problem for the
10:28:56 19 collaboration?

10:28:56 20 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

10:28:57 21 THE WITNESS: Yeah, I don't know.

10:29:10 22 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:29:10 23 Q. Well, let me put it this way: Is it your
10:29:13 24 testimony that any hiring of any Google employee by Apple
10:29:23 25 would have created a potential problem for the

10:29:27 1 Apple/Google collaboration?

10:29:29 2 MR. RILEY: Objection to the form.

10:29:31 3 THE WITNESS: I think what I was saying is, is
10:29:33 4 that in the analogy or, you know, example I was using, is
10:29:39 5 when something's marbled through the organization, it's
10:29:43 6 very hard to draw lines, is the most difficult part of
10:29:46 7 that. Where do you draw the line? And as you're pointing
10:29:50 8 out, it's not so easy.

10:30:08 9 BY MR. DALLAL:

10:30:08 10 Q. Is it fair to say that there are engineers at
10:30:09 11 Apple who don't regularly work on collaborative efforts
10:30:15 12 between Apple and Google?

10:30:16 13 A. It's hard to tell when they may or may not work
10:30:20 14 closely with Google. It's, again, hard to draw a line of
10:30:23 15 who's going to end up working with Google and who's not.
10:30:26 16 It can go in many different directions. Never know.

10:30:56 17 Q. Well, then let me ask: If Apple were to choose
10:31:09 18 not to recruit people out of Google, and Google were to
10:31:15 19 choose not to recruit people out of Apple, is that fair to
10:31:24 20 Apple employees and Google employees?

10:31:27 21 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

10:31:29 22 THE WITNESS: I think, you know -- I mean,
10:31:30 23 define fair. I think it's -- it's fair in the sense that
10:31:34 24 both Google employees and Apple employees want their
10:31:37 25 company to succeed and their projects to succeed. And if

13:51:07 1 know, the relationship and for getting some -- getting the
13:51:15 2 agreements and, you know, partnerships going, yes.

13:51:19 3 BY MR. DALLAL:

13:51:19 4 Q. Okay, and I appreciate that clarification.

13:51:24 5 Did anyone at Apple play a similar role with
13:51:26 6 respect to Intel?

13:51:29 7 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

13:51:32 8 THE WITNESS: I'm not exactly aware of the
13:51:34 9 specific person, but I would imagine in a project of that
13:51:36 10 scale there are quite a few people who would be, you know,
13:51:43 11 intimately involved with many different pieces of Intel.

13:51:46 12 For instance, there's -- and this is pointing
13:51:47 13 to, you know, sales training and channel training as one
13:51:50 14 area, and then there would be areas on the software side
13:51:53 15 and technology side.

13:51:55 16 So I don't know if there was a specific person
13:51:58 17 who was heading it up, but there's probably a lot of
13:52:01 18 different people who had areas of responsibility.

13:52:10 19 BY MR. DALLAL:

13:52:10 20 Q. Were you ever the point person on any
13:52:15 21 collaborations between Apple and Intel?

13:52:17 22 A. No, I never served as that.

13:52:30 23 Q. Were you ever the point person for any
13:52:33 24 collaborations between Apple and any company other than
13:52:39 25 Google?

13:52:42 1 A. Um, yeah, I served as a point person for quite a
13:52:45 2 few different companies, like Yahoo is one that I've been
13:52:52 3 a point person to.

13:52:55 4 But nobody on the scale of Google. I mean,
13:52:58 5 Google is a huge partner. But, yeah, so there's a lot of
13:53:01 6 different companies, but nobody on the scale of like a
13:53:05 7 strategic partnership like Google.

13:53:45 8 MR. DALLAL: You can set that one aside.

13:53:46 9 Please mark this as the next one.

13:53:59 10 THE REPORTER: This is 2253.

13:54:01 11 (Exhibit 2253 was marked for identification.)

13:54:05 12 BY MR. DALLAL:

13:54:05 13 Q. You've been handed Exhibit 2253. It's a
13:54:08 14 multi-page document, appears to consist of an email and
13:54:12 15 its attachment. It begins with 231APPLE130882 and extends
13:54:18 16 through 130925.

13:54:26 17 It's quite a long document, but I am going to
13:54:29 18 have a few questions about some of the provisions written
13:54:36 19 down here. A few about the section on responsibilities of
13:54:45 20 the parties, which begins on page 5. Do you see that?

13:54:54 21 And then also on page 8, some questions about
13:54:58 22 the section on Google Responsibilities, which I guess is
13:55:04 23 under the Responsibilities Of The Parties section.

13:55:07 24 So those are the principal areas that I'd ask
13:55:10 25 you to pay particular attention to. And then, of course,

13:55:13 1 you can review as much of the rest of the document as you
13:55:17 2 like.

13:58:56 3 A. Okay.

13:58:58 4 Q. So do you recognize this document?

13:59:00 5 A. Yes, I do.

13:59:01 6 Q. What is it?

13:59:02 7 A. It's an agreement between Apple and Google with
13:59:06 8 regards to the first shipment of maps on iPhone.

13:59:16 9 Q. Okay. Were you the principal point of contact
13:59:22 10 for Apple?

13:59:25 11 A. Yes, I was.

13:59:27 12 Q. For this product?

13:59:29 13 A. Yes.

13:59:44 14 Q. And so you negotiated some of the terms of this
13:59:47 15 agreement?

13:59:49 16 A. Yes, I did.

13:59:50 17 Q. All of them?

13:59:52 18 A. A lot of them. It's a team effort.

13:59:59 19 Q. Was Phil Schiller involved in negotiating any
14:00:02 20 terms of this agreement?

14:00:04 21 A. Um, yes, I believe he was, yes.

14:00:08 22 Q. And who was your principal point of contact at
14:00:11 23 Google negotiating this agreement?

14:00:13 24 A. Russell Shoji.

14:00:15 25 Q. And that's the individual carbon copied in the

15:06:25 1 which search boxes, because over time search became more
15:06:29 2 interesting, so sometimes it moved outside of the browser.
15:06:32 3 And people were thinking, well, maybe in a phone, you just
15:06:34 4 start with a search panel as opposed to actually going to
15:06:37 5 a browser where there would be ads and so forth.

15:06:42 6 So there was a lot of discussion at that time
15:06:44 7 about what the boundaries were. So in that context, I
15:06:46 8 think that's -- that was the main idea.

15:06:50 9 Putting a little more -- as the -- what happens
15:06:52 10 with these agreements is you start out thinking you maybe
15:06:54 11 know what the world is going to look like, and then things
15:06:57 12 happen, things change, and you realize you need to kind of
15:07:00 13 crisp up the language about -- you know, to keep up with
15:07:04 14 how the industry's evolved. And I think this is an
15:07:07 15 example of that.

15:07:12 16 For instance, we hadn't contemplated, you know,
15:07:14 17 a future project not to be mentioned, as we were trying to
15:07:20 18 handle this particular language.

15:07:26 19 Q. Do you recall any discussions about whether or
15:07:29 20 not Google was concerned about being displaced from its
15:07:33 21 status as the default search service on Apple products?

15:07:37 22 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

15:07:38 23 THE WITNESS: During that era, I think we had
15:07:41 24 established Google as being our partner for search, and
15:07:44 25 they'd been our partners for search until today, six years

15:07:47 1 after this.

15:07:50 2 THE REPORTER: 2258.

15:09:22 3 (Exhibit 2258 was marked for identification.)

15:09:25 4 BY MR. DALLAL:

15:09:25 5 Q. Mr. Croll, you've been handed Exhibit 2258,

15:09:27 6 which is a multi-page exhibit. It begins with

15:09:29 7 231APPLE131145 and extends through 131157.

15:09:41 8 If you look at 156, you'll see there aren't

15:09:46 9 signatures filled in here, so I can't confirm whether this

15:09:54 10 is a final version or a draft, which might be one question

15:09:57 11 I ask you, but this is the version that I found in the

15:10:02 12 time I had.

15:10:06 13 Take a moment to review it and let me know when

15:10:08 14 you're ready for questions.

15:12:30 15 A. Okay.

15:12:33 16 Q. Okay, do you recognize this document?

15:12:35 17 A. Yes, I do.

15:12:35 18 Q. And what is it?

15:12:37 19 A. It's an agreement between Apple and Google to

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15:13:04 23 Q. Do you know if Apple had any other license

15:13:09 24 agreements with any other companies to provide similar

15:13:15 25 functionality with respect to other software developers?

15:13:22 1 A. [REDACTED]

15:13:26 2 [REDACTED]

15:13:30 3 [REDACTED]

15:13:33 4 [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

15:13:37 5 [REDACTED]

15:13:42 6 Q. Did Apple have an agreement that would allow its

15:13:51 7 users to sync its Yahoo contacts, for example?

15:13:59 8 A. [REDACTED]

15:14:02 9 [REDACTED]

15:14:04 10 [REDACTED]

15:14:07 11 [REDACTED]

15:14:09 12 Q. Did Apple have an agreement that would allow its

15:14:11 13 users to sync its AOL contacts?

15:14:16 14 A. [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

15:14:21 15 [REDACTED]

15:14:25 16 [REDACTED]

15:14:27 17 [REDACTED]

15:14:40 18 Q. Do you know if the Apple employees who

15:14:42 19 ultimately had access to Google's source code were subject

15:14:45 20 to a nondisclosure agreement?

15:14:50 21 A. I don't know. I don't know.

15:15:00 22 Q. Do you know if any Google engineers did any of

15:15:02 23 the coding that enabled Apple devices to sync Google

15:15:08 24 contacts?

15:15:09 25 A. I don't know, but my assumption is that since

15:15:13 1 source code was trading hands, the level of integration
15:15:15 2 and collaboration between the two parties was pretty
15:15:19 3 deep.

15:15:21 4 Q. Beyond the delivery of source code from Google
15:15:33 5 to Apple, is there any way to tell from this document
15:15:44 6 which companies' engineers would then do the coding to
15:15:47 7 allow an Apple device to sync Google contacts?

15:15:52 8 A. At this point, it's very difficult to tell, but
15:15:54 9 I know when you get source code, you know, it's like
15:15:58 10 getting a -- an indecipherable book that you're going to
15:16:05 11 need a lot of help figuring out what the -- how the source
15:16:08 12 code works. So as a result, I can -- I would assume that
15:16:10 13 there was quite a bit of collaboration going on between
15:16:13 14 the engineering teams.

15:16:15 15 Q. Do you know who the lead engineer was
15:16:17 16 responsible for this particular project?

15:16:20 17 A. I'm not specifically -- I don't remember
15:16:26 18 specifics at that point of exactly which engineer at
15:16:29 19 Apple. You know, I'd imagine there's a couple different
15:16:32 20 teams actually working on this.

15:16:35 21 Q. Is there somebody that would know better than
15:16:39 22 you do, who the lead engineer was on this project?

15:16:46 23 A. Um, you know, I don't know. I can't come up
15:16:52 24 with the name specifically right now.

15:16:55 25 But, you know, I think it was in multiple

15:16:58 1 organizations, so yeah, I'd have to hunt around a little
15:17:02 2 bit myself to come up with a name.

15:17:04 3 Q. Okay. Do you know of any other document or
15:17:37 4 communication that's out there in any form, that would
15:17:43 5 indicate which engineers actually did the coding to make
15:17:53 6 syncing of Google contacts on Apple devices possible?

15:17:56 7 A. I'm not aware of any document like that.

15:17:59 8 Q. So beyond, say, interviewing the engineers who
15:18:03 9 worked on the project, can you think of any other way to
15:18:05 10 tell who those people were?

15:18:07 11 A. That's -- I would go and interview the people.
15:18:09 12 That's how I would do it, yeah.

15:18:12 13 Q. Do you believe this to be the final version of
15:18:31 14 the agreement that Apple and Google signed on this -- in
15:18:34 15 this area?

15:18:35 16 MR. RILEY: Object to the form.

15:18:36 17 THE WITNESS: I don't know. There might have
15:18:39 18 been an iteration after, depending on how the comments
15:18:44 19 turned out, but.

15:19:02 20 THE REPORTER: Exhibit 2259.

15:19:04 21 (Exhibit 2259 was marked for identification.)

15:19:05 22 BY MR. DALLAL:

15:19:05 23 Q. I've handed you -- or the court reporter's
15:19:06 24 handed you what's been marked as Exhibit 2259. It is a
15:19:10 25 two-page exhibit, 231APPLE131158 through 159.

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